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Dear Ms. Linhardt:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-A review of your itemized receipts indicates a discrepancy in your aggregate year-to-date totals. The reported aggregate totals on your report should include all contributions from an individual or committee given in the calendar year 1997. Please review your procedures for compliance with this requirement and amend your report(s) with a corrected aggregate year-to-date total for Dr. Robert Ross.

-Schedule A of your report discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act (copies attached). You should examine all of your contributions to check for additional excessives. The Committee's procedures for processing contributions should also be reviewed.

An individual or a political committee other than a qualified multicandidate committee may not make a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$1,000 per election. A qualified multicandidate committee and all affiliated committees may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election. The term "contribution" includes any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value made by any person for the purpose of influencing any